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## Rule 31 Continuing Mediation Education Accreditation Request Form

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Course Title: Status Updates on Rule 31 Revisions for ADR in Tennessee

Date(s) Held: Online Program (available 11/01/2019-10/31/2020)

Location(s): Online Program – available anytime once the video link is received via the

confirmation e-mail

How to Register: www.knoxbar.org

Fee for Members/Non-Members: \$30 KBA Members; \$50 Non-KBA Members

Does this course have CLE Commission Approval? Yes - 45 minutes of Dual CLE Credit

- Reapproved for one more year

| Session Description   | Type of Credit Requested (General Continuing Education, General Mediation Issues, Mediation Ethics, or Family Law) | Start<br>Time          | End<br>Time            | Credit Approval<br>(Office Use<br>Only) |
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| Status Updates on Rule 31 Revisions for ADR in Tennessee  | Mediation Ethics   | 1:00<br>p.m.<br>online | 1:45<br>p.m.<br>online | 0.75 hr General<br>Mediation<br>Issues  |
| Larry W. Bridgesmith, Legal Alignment   |  |                        |                        |   |
| The Alternative Dispute Resolution Commission (ADRC) of the Tennessee Supreme Court has managed the most extensive revisions to Rule 31 since its promulgation over 20 years ago. The Supreme Court has reviewed approved and submitted the proposed revisions for public comment. The Supreme Court plans to complete the revision process at its August 2018 annual planning meeting. If all goes as planned, the Knoxville Bar Association event will be one of the first "fresh off the presses" review and analysis of how the new rules will impact dispute resolution professionals, legal practitioners, community mediation centers, courts and the citizens of Tennessee. Your speaker chaired the ADRC committee that supervised the revision process. |  |                        |                        |   |

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